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MEMORANDUM FOR: [REDACTED]

SUBJECT:

DDR&E Activity Related to [REDACTED]

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1. I have held two meetings with DDR&E personnel, namely, Dr. Robert Cooper and Mr. Ted George. My purpose of establishing contact was to search out and understand U.S. policy with regard to encryption of telemetry on U.S. space and missile systems.

2. Director, DoD SALT Task Force (Dr. Wade), has recently sent to Secretary Schlesinger a paper titled "Encryption of Telemetry". It addresses U.S. policy in light of Soviet actions, traces some history of U.S. policy, and makes certain recommendations. To a great extent, it updates a 3 March 1973 DDR&E memo on the same subject.

3. Mr. George is in the process of drafting a paper titled "The Impact of [REDACTED] on SAL Monitoring". It will probably be forwarded to Dr. Wade within the next few days.

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4. I have been promised copies of the above papers subject to certain conditions which I mentioned to you on 11 March. I also extended the invitation to Mr. George to participate in any community meetings that you chair.

5. As a related item, I suggest you consider tying in the results of the "Telemetry Dependence Study" presently being prepared to a large extent by [REDACTED] direction which should be available on or about 1 May.

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